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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Ping HUANG et al.
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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Prior to examination of the present Continuing Application, Applicants respectfully request that the application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 43 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: